SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier: (2N5) 99.5% Pentakis(dimethylamino)tantalum(V)

Product Code: TA-OMX-025

CAS Number: 19824-59-0

Relevant identified uses of the substance: Scientific research and development

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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)
Flammable solids (Category 2), H228
Substances and mixtures, which in contact with water, emit flammable gases (Category 1), H260
Skin corrosion (Category 1B), H314
Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram
Signal word Danger
Hazard statement(s)
H228 Flammable solid.
H260 In contact with water releases flammable gases which may ignite spontaneously.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Precautionary statement(s)
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
Keep away from any possible contact with water, because of violent reaction and possible flash fire.
Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture.
Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment.
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physician.  
In case of skin contact  
Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.  
In case of eye contact  
Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.  
If swallowed  
Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.  

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed  
The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11  

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed  
No data available  

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES  

5.1 Extinguishing media  
Suitable extinguishing media  
Dry powder  

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture  
Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Tantalum Oxides  

5.3 Advice for firefighters  
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.  

5.4 Further information  
No data available  

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES  

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures  
Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing Vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.  

6.2 Environmental precautions  
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.  

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up  
Sweep up and shovel. Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wetbrushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Do not flush with water. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.  

6.4 Reference to other sections  
For disposal see section 13.
SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling
Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking.
For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage. Air sensitive. Handle and store under inert gas.

7.3 Specific end use(s)
Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters
Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

8.2 Exposure controls
Appropriate engineering controls
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment
Eye/face protection
Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection
Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove’s outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Body Protection
Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant protective clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection
Where risk assessment by a qualified hygienist shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N99 (US) or type P2 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls.
If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.
SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties
a) Appearance Form: solid
b) Odor no data available
c) Odor Threshold no data available
d) pH no data available
e) Melting point/freezing
   point
   Melting point/range: 100 °C (212 °F) - dec.
f) Initial boiling point and
   boiling range
   no data available
g) Flash point no data available
h) Evaporation rate no data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas) no data available
j) Upper/lower
   flammability or
   explosive limits
   no data available
k) Vapor pressure no data available
l) Vapor density no data available
m) Relative density no data available
n) Water solubility no data available
o) Partition coefficient: noctanol/
   water
   no data available
p) Auto-ignition
   temperature
   no data available
q) Decomposition
   temperature
   no data available
r) Viscosity no data available
s) Explosive properties no data available
t) Oxidizing properties no data available
9.2 Other safety information
   no data available

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity
   no data available
10.2 Chemical stability
   Dimethylyamine is formed upon contact with water
   Stable under recommended storage conditions.
10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
   Reacts violently with water.
10.4 Conditions to avoid
   Exposure to moisture.
10.5 Incompatible materials
Strong oxidizing agents
10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
Other decomposition products - no data available
In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects
Acute toxicity
no data available
Inhalation: no data available
Dermal: no data available
no data available
Skin corrosion/irritation
no data available
Serious eye damage/eye irritation
no data available
Respiratory or skin sensitisation
no data available
Germ cell mutagenicity
no data available
Carcinogenicity
IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.
Reproductive toxicity
no data available
no data available
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
no data available
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
no data available
Aspiration hazard
no data available
Additional Information
RTECS: Not available
Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin.
Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity
no data available
12.2 Persistence and degradability
no data available
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential
no data available
12.4 Mobility in soil
no data available
12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted
12.6 Other adverse effects
no data available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods
Product
Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in
igniting as this
material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal
company. Contact a
licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material
with a
combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.
Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)
UN number: 3131 Class: 4.3 (8) Packing group: I
Proper shipping name: Water-reactive solid, corrosive, n.o.s. (Pentakis(dimethylamino)tantalum)
Marine pollutant: No
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No
IMDG
UN number: 3131 Class: 4.3 (8) Packing group: I EMS-No: F-G, S-L
Proper shipping name: WATER-REACTIVE SOLID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S.
(Pentakis(dimethylamino)tantalum)
Marine pollutant: No
IATA
UN number: 3131 Class: 4.3 (8) Packing group: I
Proper shipping name: Water-reactive solid, corrosive, n.o.s. (Pentakis(dimethylamino)tantalum)
IATA Passenger: Not permitted for transport

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA 302 Components
SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III,
Section 302.
SARA 313 Components
SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that
exceed the
threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.
SARA 311/312 Hazards
Reactivity Hazard, Acute Health Hazard
Massachusetts Right To Know Components
No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.
Pennsylvania Right To Know Components
Pentakis(dimethylamino)tantalum
CAS-No.
19824-59-0
Revision Date
New Jersey Right To Know Components
Pentakis(dimethylamino)tantalum
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Revision Date
California Prop. 65 Components
This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth
defects, or any other
reproductive harm.

16. OTHER INFORMATION
Safety Data Sheet according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH). The above information is
believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The
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